

**ORDINANCE 2023-X**

**AMENDING TITLE 12, SECTION 12-2-7, MUNICIPAL JUDGE TO ADD  
REQUIREMENTS FOR BOND TO CITY TREASURER, MAYOR, CITY CLERK  
MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEE**

**WHEREAS**, a provision city employee bonding requirements should be amended and enacted,

**NOW THEREFORE**, be it ordained by the Mayor and Council of the City of Lander, in the State of Wyoming, as follows:

**SECTION 1:** Each City Officer or Clerk of the City having custody of money belonging to the City shall, before entering upon the performance of his/her respective duties, be required to furnish a bond in the amount prescribed in this article for such office, which bond shall be conditioned upon: (a) The faithful performance by such officer or clerk of all the duties of his office as prescribed by law; (b) the safekeeping of all money which may come into his hands by virtue of his office; (c) the prompt payment thereof to those legally authorized to receive the same in the manner provided by law; and (d) the delivery by him to his successor in office of all money then held by him as such officer. Each of the officers and his bondsmen and sureties, respectively, shall be responsible for the safekeeping and paying over according to law of all funds which shall come into his hands by virtue of his office.

**SECTION 2:** When the bond of any officer of the City having custody of public money shall be furnished by a guaranty or surety company, the premium due such company for furnishing such bond shall be paid out of the public funds of the City.

**SECTION 3:** The bonds of the various City employees, deputies and clerks having custody of public money of the City shall be in the following amounts:

Mayor

Council President

Municipal Judge

Municipal Court Clerk

City Treasurer

City Clerk

Deputy Clerk

Police Chief

**SECTION 4:** When approved, the bonds of all City officers and employees shall be filed with the City clerk.

**SECTION 5:** The City council may, by amendments to this section, increase or lower the amount of such bonds and may also require similar bonds to be furnished by any other City officers or employees having custody of City funds.

**SECTION 6:** All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

**SECTION 7:** Severability. If any section, subsection, sentence, phrase, or clause of this ordinance or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the other provisions or applications of this ordinance which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this ordinance are declared to be severable.

**SECTION 8:** This Ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage, approval and publication as required by law and the ordinances of the City of Lander.

**PASSED ON FIRST READING**

**PASSED ON SECOND READING**

**PASSED ON THIRD READING**

PASSED, ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the Mayor and the CITY OF LANDER COUNCIL on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2023.

	<b>AYE</b>	<b>NAY</b>	<b>ABSENT</b>	<b>ABSTAIN</b>
Missy White	_____	_____	_____	_____
Dan Hahn	_____	_____	_____	_____
John Larsen	_____	_____	_____	_____
Josh Hahn	_____	_____	_____	_____
Julia Stuble	_____	_____	_____	_____
Melinda Cox	_____	_____	_____	_____
Monte Richardson	_____	_____	_____	_____

THE CITY OF LANDER  
A Municipal Corporation

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Monte Richardson, Mayor

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Rachelle Fontaine, City Clerk

STATE OF WYOMING    )  
                                  ) ss.  
COUNTY OF FREMONT )

**CERTIFICATE**

I hereby certify that on \_\_\_\_\_, following passage, adoption and approval of Ordinance 2023-X, Monte Richardson, the duly elected, qualified and acting Mayor of the City of Lander, issued this proclamation and said ordinance was published at least once in the Lander Journal, a newspaper of general circulation within Lander, Wyoming, the effective date and publication being \_\_\_\_\_.

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Rachelle Fontaine, City Clerk